

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/706,516	GALLAGHER, WILLIAM JOHN	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Phillip H. Nguyen	2191	

All Participants:

(1) Phillip H. Nguyen.

(2) Joseph O'malley (Reg. No. 36,226).

Date of Interview: 11 February 2009

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

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Claims discussed:

1, 18, 26, and 28

Prior art documents discussed:

Bentley et al.

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

Discussed the allowable subject matter of the independent claims by further amending to incorporate the limitations of the dependent claims. The amendment is necessitated in order to clarify the claimed invention.

Part III.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

Status of Application: Non-Final

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Time: _____

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)